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REMARKS

Claims 1-30 are currently pending, with claims 1, 6, 11, 16 and 21-26 being independent. Claims 21, 24, 26 and 29 have been withdrawn from consideration, and claim 22 has been amended to correct minor typographical errors. No new matter has been introduced.

Responsive to the action mailed September 23, 2005, applicant elects the invention of Species 1, which is directed to a semiconductor device having two (or a plurality) of gate electrodes. The election/restriction indicates that this group includes claims 1-20, 25 and 27-28. Applicant further notes that claims 23 and 30 are believed to be generic. The election is made without traverse.

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Respectfully submitted,

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